

## OREGON TO LEAD TROOPS AGAINST REBELS

### SHORT STORIES

Each With Falls, Factions and Otherwise By "S. S."

Don't out.  
Griefs pay day.  
December springtime.  
Gulf Company payday.  
What's out of the southwest.  
Corporation court jammed today.  
Storm warning out for small craft.  
Mail your Christmas packages early.

Auto license payments start here December 10.

Water drying off back streets exposing holes in road.

Firemen practicing on drill tower, when fair weather returns.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 14; at Beaumont, 5.

City B. Y. P. U. banquet tonight at 8:30. First Baptist church.

Local K. of C. council enjoyed smoker at club rooms last night.

State courts in session to occupy police time in fighting cases soon.

Chamber of Commerce \$40,000 budget campaign to get under way January 10.

British vice-consulate moves over into adjoining office in the Realty building.

Attorneys in corporation court today wrangled over various kinds of rambling.

Rules suspended while business men here unburdened their troubles with C. of C. last night.

Abel Goldberg advocates tearing down "Chinese wall" erected by K. C. S. around Port Arthur.

Boy Scouts putting on a play in Franklin auditorium every 40 minutes today. Scout officials said.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY—Calumet began negotiations with Queen Isabella for three schooners.

Morgan City, Louisiana, insurance salesman's house burned down, but he didn't have any insurance on it.

Might as well make here as hereafter, mumbles Patrolman Williams as he tries in vain to quit the wheel.

Assistant collector of customs, A. A. Gunter returned today from grand lodge meeting of Texas Masons.

When Gilbert and elected speaker of the house he had the closest shave he ever had in his life, cracklingly observes Bill Craig.

Little Miss Katherine Girolamo, twelve months old, arrived Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Girolamo, 837 Eleventh street.

Remains are out today that Irene Castle will "strut her stuff" at the First Christian church carnival in the church basement tonight at 7:30.

William H. Hider, of St. Louis, architect for the Franklin school building and the additions to the Hilda and DeQueen schools, taking on Port Arthur golfers on the Country club links.

Leonard Power says he bought a new overcoat several weeks ago, the first he's bought in 11 years, and he wore it twice. "It has been hanging up in my office the rest of the time," the P. A. C. man says.

Port Nichols Sea Scouts troop launches a sail boat with appropriate ceremonies this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The craft will be christened "Shark," but Scout officials have no sparkling champagne will be broken over the sailer's proud prow.

FALGOUT PICKS UP CANADA AIR CONCERT

Port Arthur radio fans scored another long distance wireless catch when Fred Falgout, 431 Galveston avenue, picked up concerts given out in London, Canada, by station C. T. C. N. there, and also heard stations in Cuba, he said today.

Falgout's set was built by himself and Louis Hetty, he said.

CLOUDY; WARMER

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight fair, somewhat warmer. Saturday partly cloudy.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight fair, somewhat warmer in east and south portions. Saturday, partly cloudy; cooler in extreme north-east portion.

FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight and Saturday fair, warmer.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Fresh south to south-west.

Maximum temperature, 69; minimum temperature, 52; precipitation, 0.00.

Year Ago Today: Maximum temperature, 77; minimum temperature, 60.

Sunrise this evening 5:15 p. m.

Time tomorrow 7:20 a. m.

TIDE RECORD

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Saturday, Dec. 8, taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

High tides 2:19 a. m.; 4:52 p. m.

Low tides 10:02 a. m.; 9:52 p. m.

### M.E. CONFERENCE TO OPEN DEC. 12

Five States to Be Represented Here

70 ARE EXPECTED

Sessions to Be Held at Stillwell Wednesday

Gathering from Texas and Louisiana and cities throughout the United States, ministers, laymen and officials of the Methodist church will assemble in Port Arthur next Wednesday when the annual conference of the Texas and Louisiana area opens in the First M. E. church, Stillwell boulevard and Lake Shore Drive, Rev. W. F. Blackstock, pastor, said today.

Bishop Waldorf Presides  
Bishop E. L. Waldorf of Wichita, Kansas, in charge of the church area comprising the states of Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana and a part of Mississippi, will preside at the conference sessions here next week, Rev. Blackstock said. About 40 ministers and 20 laymen from Texas and Louisiana are expected to attend the conference sessions, scheduled to last from next Wednesday through the Sunday following.

Among the other church officials who have sent word they will be in Port Arthur to address the conference are Dr. A. E. Wolfe, area secretary, and Dr. A. E. Peterson, in charge of the young peoples' work throughout the area, both from Wichita, Kansas; Dr. F. W. Mueller of Philadelphia, representative of the board of home missions and church extension; Dr. Bert E. Smith of Chicago, member of the board of Sunday schools; Dr. Willis S. Rowe of New York.

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### ATTACKS FOX INSANITY PLEA

Claim Coburn Killed After Previous Attempt

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 7.—New evidence has been unearthed against Phil C. Fox, publicity director of Ku Klux Klan, who will go on trial Wednesday charged with killing W. S. Coburn, leader of the faction headed by Colonel Simmons, investigators declared today.

When the murder case, which is expected to reveal intimate details of the internal warfare in the secret organization, is called in superior court, the state will be prepared to show that Coburn was killed after a previous attempt by an alleged aide of Fox's was unsuccessful.

This first attempt, investigators of the solicitor's office said, was made three months before the murder and was frustrated when a bystander wrested a revolver from the alleged assassin.

This evidence, together with detailed information as to where Fox obtained his revolver, is expected to counteract any plea of insanity contemplated by the defense, officers said.

### GIRL CRUSHED

Steps on Belt, Is Thrown Into Flywheel

BREKENRIDGE, Texas, Dec. 7.—Caught in the flywheel of a gasoline engine, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reep, near here, was crushed to death Thursday afternoon. The girl slipped on the belt on the fly wheel of a drilling engine which had stopped on center. Her weight started the engine and she was drawn into the revolving wheel.

### 'Sunshine Girl' Admits Part in Cemetery Ghoul

NAPA, Cal., Dec. 7.—Dorothy Anderson, Chicago, "Sunshine Girl" who three years ago with Edward J. Salsburg conspired with their arrested here, pleaded to be allowed to return to Lucerne, Wis., with her lover, as they might face charges together.

### AMARILLO MAN FREED ON SELF DEFENSE PLEA

AMARILLO, Texas, Dec. 7.—H. L. Long was acquitted by a jury here last night of a charge of murder in connection with the slaying of John Wallace here October 15. Long's plea was self defense and the unwritten law.

## 15 Drown When Vessel Piles on Rocks

### SHIP UNABLE TO NEGOTIATE PASS

SS. T. W. Lake Wrecked Near Puget Sound

5 BODIES WASHED UP

Wreckage First Hint of Disaster

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 7.—Five bodies from the wreck of the steamer T. W. Lake were picked up on the shores of Puget Sound today. Ten other persons are still unaccounted for.

The vessel, which carried no radio and piled on Puget Sound, was caught in a gale while attempting to negotiate the treacherous pass of Lopez in the straits of Juan de Fuca.

Nothing was known of the disaster until wreckage and bodies began washing ashore.

The vessel carried a crew of 15 men all of whom are believed to have been lost.

### INJURED MEN SHOW NO CHANGE

All Victims of Three Accidents Painfully Hurt

The body of F. J. Stanley, iron worker, who was instantly killed Thursday afternoon when a scaffolding collapsed, hurting him 20 feet, was shipped to East Texas, his former home, early today under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker.

A. T. "Taylor" Greene, who also fell when the scaffold collapsed, had several ribs broken and complaints of severe pains in his stomach. The extent of Greene's injuries has not been definitely determined, but he seems to be holding his own today, it was said at the hospital.

T. N. McNelly, fireman for the Eastern Texas Electric company, injured over his entire right side and right hand and arm Thursday afternoon at Port Neches, when he received a charge of 33,000 volts from a high power wire over which he threw a piece of rope, is reported to be doing as well as could be expected today.

His injuries were severe and painful, but are not believed to be serious.

A. J. Keene, 718 Fourth street, also injured Thursday afternoon when a coke still flamed back, is resting well today and his condition is not considered serious. All were victims of a series of three accidents which occurred between 1 and 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLD NEW YEAR DANCE

The final social event of their calendar for the year was enjoyed last night by members of the local council Knights of Columbus as a smoker at their club room.

Last night's meeting the reports of various committees in charge of the New Year's Eve dinner dance at the Plaza Hotel were read. Reservations for the banquet are now being made, and but a number of plates remain, it is understood. A large turnout of the membership attended the smoker last night.

### OKLA. HOUSE ADOPTS AN ANTI-MASK LAW

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 7.—Sens. of the Oklahoma senate, H. H. Hill was adopted by a standing vote in the house today, the first definite step the lower house has taken since the Walton trial.

The section makes it unlawful for any secret organization to wear masks excepting in buildings or on property controlled by the organization. Religious, historical or entertainment payments and masquerades will be allowed under the measure.

### COMMERCE OFFICERS EXPECT NEW HOTEL

Belief that Port Arthur will, in the near future, have a new hotel, and that it will be successfully operated is expressed by members of Commerce officials today.

Secretary Burge is in receipt of numerous inquiries concerning the probable location of a new hotel, for Port Arthur, many of which have been discussed by the Chamber of Commerce directors.

### SMALL CRAFT WARNINGS HUNG OUT ON COAST

Small craft warnings were hung out along the Texas coast at 9:30 o'clock this morning, telling of south to southeasterly winds becoming fresher to strong later today.

The warning was signed "Dyer" when received by Ernest Carson, local weather observer.

## Labor Premier for Britain Possible Result of Election

Labor and Liberal Elements Win Balance of Power—Conservatives Loss of Power to Cause Retirement of Baldwin

LONDON, Dec. 7.—A crushing and unexpected defeat was administered to Premier Stanley Baldwin and the conservative party in the general election.

Late this afternoon 313 labor and liberal candidates had been elected. This was more than a majority of the 615 seats in the house of commons, and at that time 67 constituencies remained to be heard from.

At 7:30 p. m. today, with only 19 districts to be heard from, the standing was:

Conservatives, 257; Labor, 184; Liberals, 145; others, 10. Total 596.

The possibility of a labor premier for England is to be found today in the unexpected British election results, under which Premier Baldwin and his conservative party have been crushed and labor and liberals cleared to new dominant positions.

Labor won into the campaign with a strong platform for a heavy capital tax. This was attacked by both conservatives and liberals. But in spite of this opposition labor increased its representation at commons by forty members.

Labor renounces the official opposition party, it is said, and in power. With the retirement of Stanley Baldwin as premier, owing to the conservative defeat, a labor-liberal coalition is not considered as unlikely.

Lloyd George Come-Back?

Some predict the possibility of a conservative-liberal combination under Lord Derby, Herbert Asquith or David Lloyd George. This would be virtually a resurrection of Lloyd George's war time coalition.

The one big outstanding certainty, however, is that in event no coalition is effected the market and money of the liberal gains, makes another general election inevitable in the near future.

### 9 MILES HIGH

Lieut. MacReady Seeks It As New Altitude Record

DAYTON, Ohio, Dec. 7.—Lieutenant John A. MacReady took off at 9:05 a. m. today in an attempt to set a new altitude record by ascending to 30,000 feet.

MacReady was forced to abandon his attempt when his plane developed engine trouble at approximately 27,000 feet.

### 15 Impounded Mules Net City Big Sum

That it is more costly to permit stock to run at large than to keep it penned up was manifest this morning when Patrol Officer G. W. Foote told the commissioners that the 15 mules "arrested" by his department recently had been "freed" for \$22 a head.

The mules cost their owners \$20 for being impounded, plus a charge of 50 cents a head a day for feed. They were in the "stock prison" one day.

"Figure it up for yourself," the poundmaster warned. "It's pretty costly to let the stock graze around over the lions and other parks and city property."

### IT WAS QUIET, BUT IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN NOISY

"Yes, sir, everything's quiet in my bench today," Beulah Hadnot, negress, told Patrolman Williams, Thursday night.

Williams said he suspected something wrong because it was so quiet and later returned with Captain Fox and searched Beulah's place in Fifth street alley and confiscated a fifth bottle of moonshine.

Beulah is being held to await disposition of her case before United States Commissioner Morris.

### PLAZA HOTEL BURNS AT NEUVO LAREDO

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 7.—Scores of persons were forced to flee in their night clothing when fire destroyed the Plaza hotel in Nuevo Laredo, early today here on the Mexican side opposite here.

A bar and restaurant adjoining the building were destroyed. Loss will amount to \$20,000, it was estimated.

### WHEN I WAS 20

BY HARRY J. MAY  
Variety Store Owner

When I was 20 I was managing a five-and-ten-cent store for the F. M. Kirby company at Auburn, Ill. I had been in the business for three years, but it was during my twentieth year that I was given the position of manager. That year the store I managed burned out, another one was built and I continued as manager. That was 14 years ago.

### TULSA PLAN FOR P. A. IS LAUDED

Joint Y.M.B.L.-C. of C. Session Favorable to It

Hearty support of the "Port Arthur Plan" for partially financing industries which desire to locate here, last night was voiced at the joint meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and the Y.M.B.L.

The plan, patterned after that in use at Tulsa, would subscribe a certain amount of stock by local capital in industries wishing to secure locations in this city.

Discussion as to the merits of the plan showed the idea had met with great favor among those at the meeting.

To Name Committees Soon

In accordance with the workings of the Tulsa proposition, a number of men here will be asked to subscribe a designated sum, each to be pooled in an effort to attract additional industries here. Under the plan a legitimate enterprise wishing to locate here would be advanced about 10 percent of the pool in exchange for stock in the organization. A local man would be elected to the board of directors of this organization to keep tab on the use of local capital invested in the business.

Committees will be appointed in the near future to work out a suitable plan under which this organization can operate.

In connection with the plan, Abe Goldberg gave a hearty endorsement to the idea and spoke in its behalf.

"How much money?" asked Goldberg, "has been taken out of this town in wildcat stocks? How much went into an oil well 35 orange? How much went into the gold mine in Colorado?"

Goldberg Scores K. C. S.

"In both the well and the mine, the oil and gold were a little deeper to be found, and the digging was stopped before they found either."

"Thirty-\$50,000 went into one and \$300,000 into the other. With this money we could put up a real proposition to any man who wanted to locate his business here."

"But before we talk of getting new business, we should occupy ourselves with the business at hand."

"Break the Chinese wall which surrounds us and is gradually spreading its life out of the city. I'll speak plainly, I mean the K. C. S." The reference to the K. C. S. was taken up by C. Flanagan who recited a number of instances where the K. C. S. in his mind was maintaining practices detrimental to the best interests of the city.

### FALLS 15 FLOORS

Houston Electrician Slips While at Work

HOUSTON, Dec. 7.—F. P. Johnson, 25, received probable fatal injuries when he fell from the fifteenth floor of the Cotton Exchange building here today.

Johnson, an electrician, was working in a ventilator shaft of the building when his foot slipped and he plunged to the ground. He was rushed to a hospital.

### 40 BALES OF COTTON ON FIVE-ACRE PATCH

As the result of a contest, he inaugurated at Tyler, A. L. Burge, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday was informed that the winner of the contest grew 40 bales of cotton on a five-acre patch.

The contest was started by Burge to determine the champion cotton grower of that section, basing the championship on the amount raised on a five-acre patch. The winner was an acreage of 8 bales to the acre. Burge was informed by a clipping sent him out of a Texas paper.

And the Lion and the Lamb—



Here we have a close approach to the millennium, when a bull terrier and a kitten call all bets off and consent to pose amicably for their picture. The dog's name is Wee Wee, but beside Skook, we think he looks anything but wee.

## Y. M. B. L., C. of C. Unite to Raise \$40,000 Budget

Whirlwind Campaign Directed at Reaching Goal in One Day to Start January 10

Directors of the Y.M.B.L. and Chamber of Commerce and Shipping last night pledged their support to the campaign to raise a budget of \$40,000 for 1924.

The campaign for pledges will be started January 10, by a corps of workers working under the "army" plan. It will be the endeavor to wind up the campaign in whirlwind finish during one day's canvass.

Name Generalissimo Later.

A chairman to be appointed later will act as generalissimo of the drive in the chair of the general chairman. Under the general chairman will be captains who will in turn have lieutenants and so on down to the number of workers in the centralized plan of action.

It is expected in this manner to put across the campaign for funds in a day's time. Rehearsing the work and expenses generally attendant to a campaign for raising funds.

Last night's meeting has been termed one of the best spirited ever held by the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping in some time. In view of the constructive criticism offered by a number of speakers.

President A. F. Barker of the Chamber of Commerce opened the meeting with a preliminary address touching upon the points later to be brought up for discussion before the body.

Secretary Art L. Burge discussed in detail the various plans for raising the money to carry on the project.

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### THREE MINERS DROWN IN ILLINOIS PIT FLOOD

RELEVILLE, Ill., Dec. 7.—At least three coal miners drowned, it was established today, in a flood that swept down on 250 miners in the Hurd coal mine near here late yesterday.

Two of the bodies were recovered today. The flood was caused when miners punctured the wall of their entry with pneumatic tools.

### ONE KILLED, TWO HURT IN FREAK GAS BLAST

TONKAWA, Okla., Dec. 7.—One man was killed and two seriously injured here today when the offices and warehouse of the Henry Craig Lumber company was destroyed by explosion caused by gas accumulation under the office.

Both buildings were wrecked. Firemen extinguished the flames after the blast. Loss was estimated at \$40,000.

### Mayor Says City to Fight Out Injunction

The city of Port Arthur will take every legal step that can be taken in fighting the injunction suit brought against the commission by Sandeaur and Erickson, lessees of Pleasure pier, was the assertion of Mayor J. D. Logan this morning at council meeting.

The mayor said he did not "have the slightest idea what turn the injunction suit would take, but that the city will fight it to the end."

The fresco, said out of sight of injunction Wednesday in 60th district court, seeking to restrain the city from interfering with the operation of the pier and the subsequent operation of the bridge that joins Port Arthur with the island.

### 'JERRY'S JOB'

Scout Play Given Once Every 40 Minutes Today

Presentation of a play for the auditorium classes of Franklin school every 10 minutes today is the task of a number of Port Arthur Boy Scouts engaged in scout headquarters since.

Starting at 8:40 a. m. the plays appeared before each auditorium class in Franklin school throughout the morning and until 4 o'clock this afternoon when school dismissed, officials said.

The play is one of a number written especially for Boy Scouts, and entitled "Jerry's Job." Scouts taking part in the production are Clifford Shaw, as "Mr. Morton"; Clarence Ward, playing "Mr. Hamilton"; William Coughlin, as "Mr. Jenkins"; Hal Gant, as "Jerry"; and J. H. Ridout, as "Tommy."

### SON OF BLIND MAN BELIEVED DROWNED

HOUSTON, Dec. 7.—Hundreds of citizens and policemen today searched for the son of a blind street musician, who has been missing since Wednesday. The boy left for school Wednesday morning and has not returned.

He was last seen with two other youngsters playing along the banks of the bayou here. His father believes he may have fallen into the bayou and drowned.

### TO ASK NEW TRIAL

MEREDIAN, Texas, Dec. 7.—A new trial probably will be asked by attorneys for D. C. Latham, Spence county resident, sentenced to one year in prison yesterday for violation of the liquor law, it was announced today.

### 6 STATES IN REVOLT

Calles Election to Presidency Disturbed, Rebels Claim

By United Press.  
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 7.—Revolt in six Mexican states appeared likely to culminate in fighting between federal forces and rebels in Vera Cruz at least before nightfall.

Some unconfirmed dispatches told of skirmishes already having taken place.

A rebellion, supported by 12,000 soldiers under General Guadalupe Sanchez started yesterday in the state of Vera Cruz. Five other states have followed suit and repudiated the federal government.

Vera Cruz Cut Off.

The war cry of the rebels is "peace with independence." The revolt is aimed at President Obregon and his candidate for the presidency, General Calles.

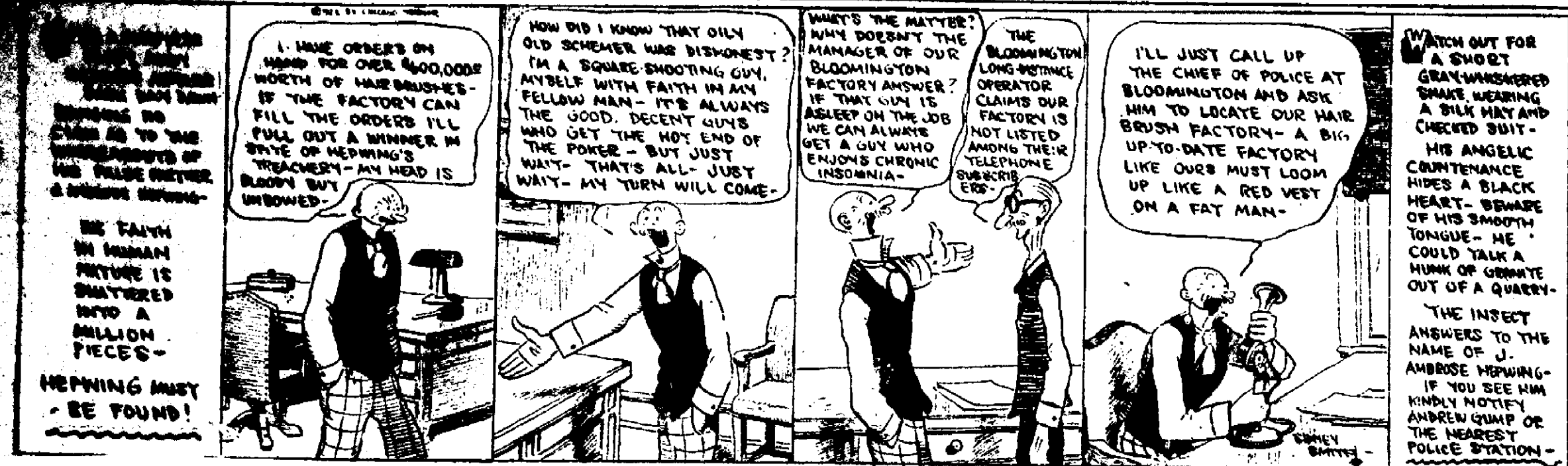
The rebels back Adolfo de la Huerta.

Vera Cruz, holed by the insurrection, was entirely cut off from the capital today.

No trains are running, roads are blocked. Communication by phone and wire is interrupted.



## THE GUMPS—THE MISSING FACTORY



## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



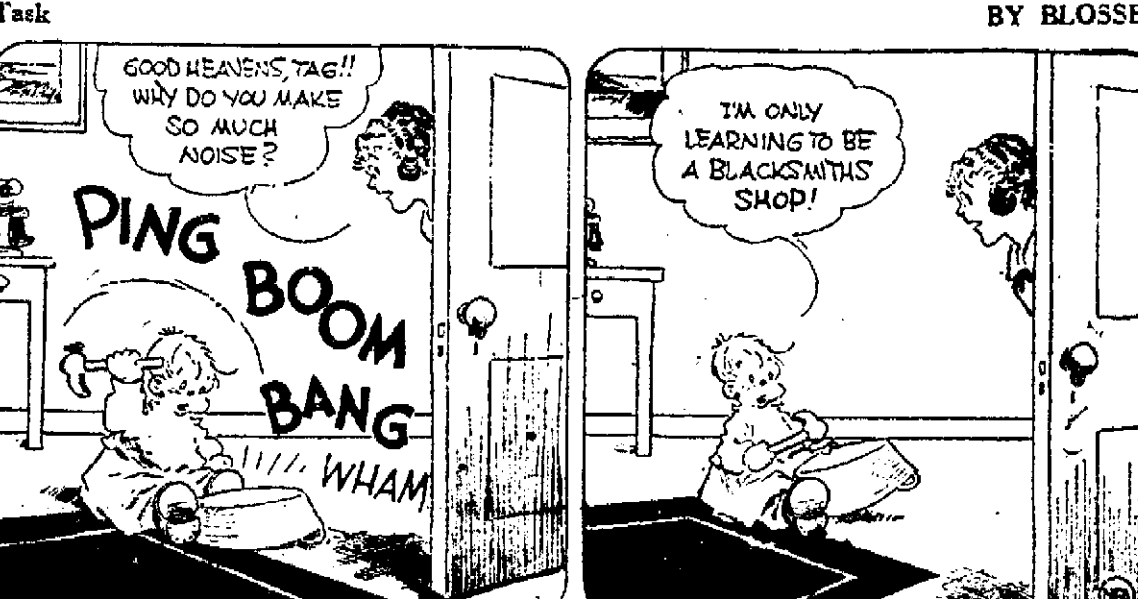
## Early Birds



## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



## Some Task



## SALESMAN SAM



## Napoleon Found Out



## BY SWAN

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

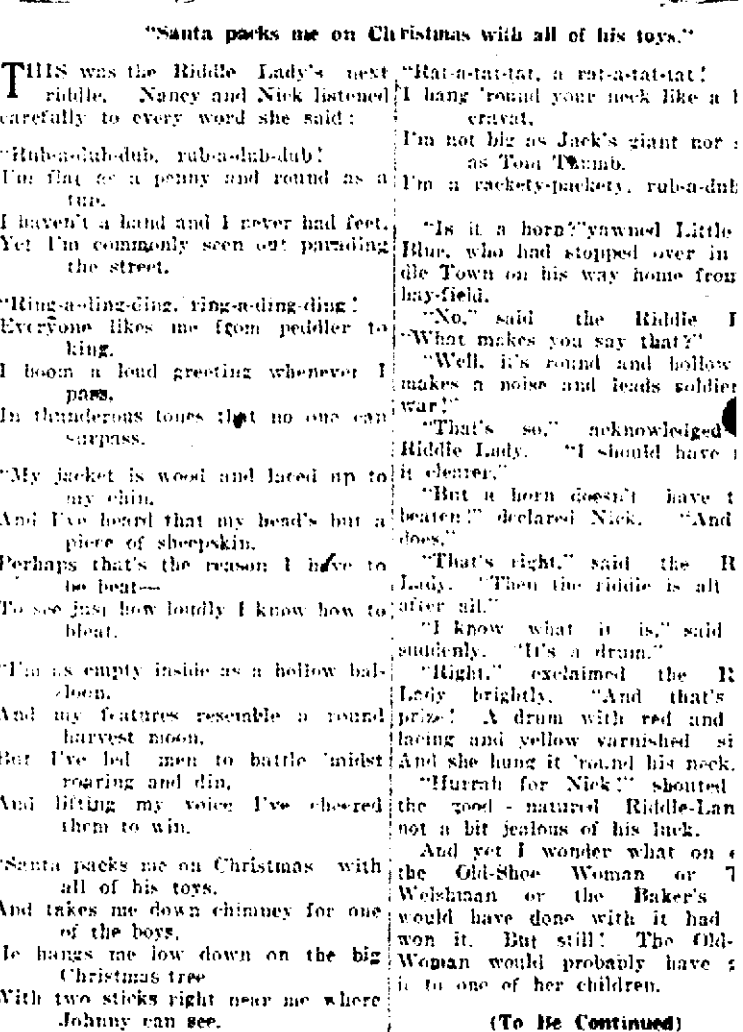


## BY AHERN

## THE OLD HOME TOWN



## PANTOMIME : : : By J. H. Strick



## CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE By Uncle Ray











new synagogue recently erected here will be dedicated tonight and an elaborate program has been outlined for the event. Rabbi Max Heller of New Orleans will be principal speaker for the evening. Arthur Kaufman, president of the congregation, will deliver the benediction. The service will be held at the temple to Hyman Bernstein, chairman of the building committee during the ceremonies. Dr. Samuel Rosinger and Rabbi Levy will also appear on the program.

**May Becomes Paupers.**  
Special to The News.  
BEAUMONT, Texas, Dec. 7.—Negotiations are now under way to have two Beaumont children declared paupers and have them transferred to some home to be taken care of. According to a petition filed with the county clerk Friday morning, the father and mother of the two children, both boys, three and five years of age, are poor and are unable to take care of the children. Information was furnished by the clerk that they frequently were with out any care whatever.

The case will come up for hearing in Judge Wheat's county court.

## Y. M. B. L.

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motion work of the Chamber of Commerce, reading from last year's budget and showing a balance of some \$2,200 remaining in the treasury of the organization up to November 1. In addition to the same Burge said there were a number of pledges outstanding which remained to be collected.

**Barrage of Constructive Talks.**  
Following the explanatory talk of the secretary members of the directors of both the YMBL and C of C, opened up with a barrage of short talks, discussing conditions prevalent which assisted or retarded the growth and development of the city.

President Dick Lyle of the YMBL, one of the first speakers called on

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Add Four LUZIANNE COFFEE Coupons

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or a diamond pledged the heavy support and co-operation of his organization to the campaign of the "Chamber of Commerce."

"Despite the fact that we are members of the YMBL, we are primarily members of the Chamber of Commerce, and our interests are their interests. I wish to assure you, Mr. President, that the YMBL stands staunchly behind the Chamber of Commerce in its efforts to raise a fund sufficient to stand the promotion and development work of the city," was Cato's pledge in behalf of his organization.

Because of his having held the presidency of the YMBL, H. C. Crawford was asked for his ideas. Mr. Crawford heartily endorsed the plan for the campaign and stated that it was up to Port Arthur to attract outside interests to locate here.

"I have every dollar I have in the world invested here," stated Crawford, "the Port Arthur planning mills, and if the need for additional funds is evident to bring additional enterprises to Port Arthur you can count on my sincere cooperation."

R. L. Murray, another YMBL member, was asked to join in the discussion and he endorsed the plan for the fund campaign.

**Smith Speaks for Duff Line**  
"While I shan't be able to say over dollar I have invested here,"

said Murray, "I might add that every nickel I have is here—and all my debts are here also." A great deal of praise greeted this assertion.

Ferry Pace endorsed the campaign plan and in connection with the improvements needed in the city swung into the "Birmingham Plus" plan of the steel industry.

Other speakers joined in the discussion when asked by President Barker. One of the last to speak was Howard Smith of the street railway company. Smith suggested the members of both organizations first sell the chamber's work to themselves before going out to sell it to the world.

"We are often greeted in this campaign," said Smith, "with the question 'What has the Chamber of Commerce done?' And what have we done? Well, there are numerous things the chamber is doing that are somewhat trivial in themselves, but all go toward making a better city. Take the Duff proposition, for an example of the larger things the chamber is after. If we are to break through our opposition here, we will have to see that this proposal is given the utmost assistance. Let the Chamber of Commerce to yourselves, then is the word."

Out of every hundred American men, it is said that 80 resort to overindulgence.

James Dugan and Thomas Finton. All were civilian clothes which authorities believe were stolen from a store at Jurbulo, Kansas.

**REPORTS BITE BY DOG HE BELIEVES IS MAD**  
G. W. Hicks, 397 Eleventh street, was attacked and bitten by a dog believed to be afflicted with rabies early Thursday afternoon near his home, he reported to city authorities immediately after the accident.

Investigation into the case was started by the health department, but the dog could not be located, they reported. The dog ran up behind Hicks and buried its teeth in his right ankle, then continued to rush at him, snapping and growling, Hicks said.

**\$300,000 Fire Damage to N.O. Cotton Building**  
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—A fire in the United Cotton building, in the heart of the business district here, today wrecked the structure and caused damage estimated at between \$200,000 and \$300,000. The blaze was of undetermined origin, and was brought under control shortly before noon by the excellent work of the local fire fighters.

Frank Castro, one-eyed, half-breed Indian, who prison authorities declared led the escape through an abandoned tunnel told of the hardships endured in the bitter cold, wet weather.

"We got lost in the woods Sunday night," he said. "We traveled by night and rested by day but were cold and wet. All of us got severe colds the first night, delaying our progress."

Castro denied that he planned to escape and said he was tipped off by another prisoner Sunday afternoon.

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## CONVICTS TELL HARDSHIP TALE

## 4 Kansas Pen Escapes Captured Around Camp Fire

LANESBURG, Kan., Dec. 7.—Stories of severe suffering were related today by four convicts who escaped from the Kansas State Penitentiary and who were captured huddled around an open fire in woods near McLeouth, Kansas. No trace of nine others who escaped at the same time, has been found.

Frank Castro, one-eyed, half-breed Indian, who prison authorities declared led the escape through an abandoned tunnel told of the hardships endured in the bitter cold, wet weather.

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## BETTER THAN WHISKEY FOR COLDS AND FLU

## Delightful Elixir, Called Aspirinal, Medicated With Latest Scientific Remedies That Are Endorsed by Medical Authorities to Cut Short a Cold or Cough Due to Cold and Prevent Complications.

Every Druggist in U. S. Instructed to Refund Price While You Wait at Counter if You Don't Feel Relief Coming in Two Minutes.

## Delightful Taste, Immediate Relief, Quick Warm-Up.

The sensation of the drug tends to Aspirinal, the two-minute cold and cough remedy, is the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy proved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times

as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy; they have ever tried. All drug stores are supplied with the wonderful elixir, so all you have to do to get relief from that cold is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk half a dollar for a bottle of Aspirinal and ten him to serve you two teaspoonsful. With your watch in your hand, take the drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be haphazard, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

When your cold or cough is relieved, take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspirinal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quick relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night.—Adv.

# Imhoff Has Fixed it up with Santa Claus Complete Outfit of Furnishings FREE

With Every Man's Suit at \$35 or Over

The offer applies to cash purchases only.

Buy Your Christmas Suit at Imhoff's and Get The Rest of Your Outfit FREE

\$12 Worth of FREE Furnishings

With Every Man's Suit Sold at \$35. or \$40.

Choose any suit in the entire stock of high grade clothes priced from \$35 to \$40. Make your own selection of any group or lot of articles in shirts, neckwear, gloves, hosiery, etc., to the amount of \$12 and pay just the price of the suit for the whole lot.

## Suggestions

Choose a \$45 suit and you can have FREE.

Two fine \$2 silk ties, Three \$3 shirts of your own choice, Six pair of 75¢ socks, One belt, One buckle, and any other on you select.

Imhoff's Name On It Insures The Quality

\$18 Worth of FREE Furnishings With Every Man's Suit Sold at \$45. or \$50.

With every suit sold at \$45 or over from now till Christmas we will give you FREE you choice of any assortment of furnishings to the amount of \$18.

You pay our regular price for the suit and get the other things as if they came from Santa Claus.

The largest stock of high grade furnishings in the city to choose from.

Every suit in this offer is from our regular stocks and of our regular high standard.

This Offer Includes Society Brand Clothes Too

Our reputation for fair dealing and first quality merchandise is your guarantee of satisfaction in this special event.

Or We Will Sell You ANY OVERCOAT AT 1/2 PRICE With Every Man's Suit Sold at \$35 or Over

If you would rather have the overcoat than the furnishings you can do so. Select any suit that you want at our regular price. Pick out any overcoat you want and pay just half the price for that. The entire stock is included in this offer.

G. W. Imhoff & Co.

You can have a new suit for yourself and lots of gifts for your friends.

## JEWELRY—A Lasting Gift

When you make a gift of Jewelry you are giving something that is everlasting. Long after the time of presentation has gone the memory of the occasion lingers in the mind of the recipient because Jewelry is a gift that lasts. Here you will find a complete line of standard advertised jewelry articles.

## Watches

## For Men

Howard Hamilton Waltham Elgin

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## For The Ladies

Diamond rings, bar pins, scarf pins with white gold and platinum mounting. Richelieu and Deltah Pearls, wrist watches.

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Solid gold cuff links, watches, belt buckles, cigarette cases, watch chains, cigar holders.

Sterling and Sheffield Hollow ware, Rogers and Community flat ware, Hawkes Cut Glass, De Pont's Pyralin toilet goods.

Complete line of leather goods consisting of billfolds, hand bags and tourist cases and etc.

Everything at the lowest possible price.

S. H. Wellborn 408 Procter



OFFICER'S BOARD  
TO HOLD EXAMS

O.R.C. Commissions to Successful Candidates

Appointments of an examining board in Port Arthur for any men in the city who desire to stand examination for commissions or promotions in the United States army officers' reserve corps is made by Major General Hawley of Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, commanding the Eighth corps area, advising reaching this city today.

Members of the examining board as appointed by Major General Hawley are: Lieut. Col. C. H. Fitzgerald, Inf. O. R. C.; Major Fred P. Dodge, Q. M. O. R. C.; and Captain J. L. Duman, F. A. O. R. C.

The board will meet at the call of the senior officer for examining those who are called before it, and it is desired that ex-servicemen especially, and any others who can pass the examinations for reserve corps commissions or promotions file their applications, Lieut. Col. Fitzgerald, senior officer of the board, said today.

Port Arthur Woman  
Dies in Shreveport

The body of Mrs. Rosa Bell Smith, 39 years, who died Thursday in a hospital in Shreveport, La., where she went about six days ago for an operation, reached Port Arthur early today and was removed to the family residence, 200 Fourth street. Services will be conducted here Saturday, and the body shipped to Killebrew, Texas, for burial.

Surviving the deceased were two children by a former marriage, Billy and Lucy, seven years and five months, and a daughter, Mrs. Ada Belknap, of Port Arthur, her husband, T. B. Belknap, of Shreveport, La. Mrs. Smith was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was a member of the Killebrew Lodge, having her membership in the organization at Sour Lake, Texas.

ELECTRIC COMPANY HAS  
RADIO MUSICAL CONCERT

Radio broadcasting station WFAA of the Electric Supply company last night set a record for a concert from their laboratory at Port Arthur. In addition to the announcements, the fact that Port Arthur was the third port in number and the greatest oil refining center in the world was included. The musical selections were furnished by Mrs. Frank Stoenhorst, of the radio orchestra, Marine Smith, accompanied by Marie Pearson, Nell Rader and Tom Wilhelm each sang a group of numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Stoenhorst.

AUTOISTS DISPLEASED  
BY NEW TAX PRICES

BEAUMONT, Texas, Dec. 7.—A total of 357 out-of-state license holders have been issued to date and about 90 per cent of the automobile owners have expressed their disapproval of the new prices, according to county tax collectors.

That the new prices for seals are a distinct surprise is also reported and in almost every instance taxpayers demand a reason for the increase.

Mrs. Henry De Fries, 24,  
to Be Buried Saturday

Mrs. Henry De Fries, 24 years of age, died at 5:20 a. m. today at the family residence, 928 Twelfth street, after an illness extending over several years. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. R. R. Velderman, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating, and burial will be made in City cemetery under the direction of J. E. Grooms, undertaker.

DR. SMITH TO PREACH  
SUNDAY AT M. E. CHURCH

Preliminary services to the Twenty-first annual session of the Gulf Conference, of the Methodist Episcopal church, which convenes in Port Arthur Wednesday, will be conducted in the First M. E. church, Stilwell boulevard and Lake Shore drive, with Dr. B. F. Smith, of Chicago, the principal speaker, Rev. W. T. Blackstock, pastor of the church, said today.

Dr. Smith will fill the pulpit in the First M. E. church at both services Sunday, preaching on the subject of "Angels and Iron Gates" Sunday morning. Dr. Smith's subject for the evening service, starting at 7:30 o'clock Sunday, is not announced, Rev. Blackstock said.

\$150,000 FINES FOR  
24 BOOZE VIOLATORS

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 7.—Fines totaling \$150,000 were assessed in addition to heavy jail sentences against 24 convicted liquor law violators in federal court here today.

Judge Barrett imposed sentences which are believed to set a record for severity under the law.

NEDERLAND MAN HURT  
WHILE AT WORK TODAY

W. J. Jones, of Nederland, was rushed to Mary Gates hospital here about 1 p. m. today in a Grinnell ambulance, following an accident while at work at Nederland. Jones' injuries were found to be slight, two teeth having been smashed when a heavy timber fell on them, and after receiving medical attention, he left for his home, hospital authorities said.

AUTO DRIVER FOOLS  
ESCAPE BY PRISONER

HOUSTON, Dec. 7.—Jack Smith, sentenced to 25 years for participation in the robbery of an F. K. Leggett Ice Cream company cashier here several weeks ago, yesterday forced the turnkey at the point of a gun to release him from the jail, hopped on the running board of a passing car and commanded the driver, H. C. Rempage, of Fort Worth, to "speed up."

Instead Rempage threw his car to low and said it was broken, while others, in spite of shots fired at them by Smith, overtook the car and captured the bandit.

Report of County's  
Auditor Ready Soon

Special to The News.  
BEAUMONT, Texas, Dec. 7.—Tax-payers of Jefferson county will know exactly where their money goes when County Auditor J. H. Gordon completes his annual report which will be ready about the first of the year. It is probable that the report will be printed in pamphlet form for the benefit of the taxpayers.

Under the plan proposed by Gordon the report will show just about every penny spent by the county. It will show the amount of money taken in and the cost of running the county. From all of this, it will be the most complete report ever compiled by the county.

**Fatigue**  
For relief of brain fatigue and physical fatigue nothing surpasses **FORCE TONIC**.  
For sale by College Pharmacy, American Pharmacy, Houston, Texas; Drug Store, East Drug Store, Hart Drug Store, Corner Drug Co., and all other good druggists.

**DOLLS! DOLLS!**  
of All Kinds  
Sleeping, Walking, Talking and Mamma Dolls  
59c, 98c, \$1.19 to \$15  
**THE FAIR**  
543 Procter

**Tenor Banjo**  
Taught in Fall Harmony Style  
**ROBERT E. SENAY**  
INSTRUCTOR  
Hawaiian Guitar Mandolin Ukulele  
Phones 122-2920 812 Liberty  
Or Music Dept. Crowell-Gifford Co.

**FARM-LABOR DEMAND  
CANDIDATES' ATTITUDES**  
DALLAS, Dec. 7.—Questionnaires embodying the platform declarations set forth by the Texas Farm-Labor political conference here will be submitted to every candidate for state office with a request for an unequivocal answer as to his position on policies stated therein. It was announced by delegates to the conference here today.

**Goldberg's**  
"WHERE STYLE BEGINS"

**Clearaway of Better Hats**  
Including Kibel—Artistic and Catalina Sports Models  
Reduced for Quick Clearance

**HALF PRICE**

The decided individuality of Kibel, Artistic or Catalina Models in millinery at **HALF PRICE**—will tempt many women to come to Goldberg's Saturday and get a real value in a hat. Are you to be among the many?

Prices range from \$15 to \$32.50 inclusive; so the scope for choosing is ample and the variation in style is everything you may wish for in a good looking hat.

85 Fall Hats must be sold Saturday. A group of hats that was priced for \$8.50 to \$16.50 grouped in one big lot for as long as they last at only **\$4.98**

**New Fall Coats**  
Among them you will find coats Mr. Goldberg personally selected while in the Eastern Market.

**Priced at Special Prices**

\$35.00 Coats reduced to	\$25.50
\$37.50 Coats reduced to	\$27.50
\$42.50 Coats reduced to	\$32.75
\$49.50 Coats reduced to	\$39.50
\$59.50 Coats reduced to	\$49.50

If prices interest you—we are doubly certain that the style and quality will more than satisfy your discriminating desire. For we show Panvelaines, Davetdelaines, Geroma, Bolivia, Wool Velours and many more desired fall fabrics. Some are fur trimmed while others have self collars.

Browns, grays, tans, navies and blacks; sizes are assorted for all sized women.

**Goldberg's**  
"WHERE STYLE BEGINS"

**Gifts Dear to Her Heart**

Yes—only a limited time to prepare for your Xmas Gifts—especially useful and practical ones; so, we make your gift giving a pleasure by arranging our stocks to assist you in this tedious task.

**SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY**  
That Would Make Suitable Gifts

**Stamped House Dresses \$1.25**  
A dress of linen finished suitings already stamped for embroidery, on blue, rose, lavender, peach or yellow.

**Lace Trimmed Scarfs \$1.00**  
Scarf 18x54 made of fine linen suitings or Jewel Cloth; come in white or cream; ready for use, being embroidered in colors and white.

**"Royal Society Models"**  
Already for use being embroidered on various cloths  
**HALF PRICE**

Any of these Royal Society Models in hand embroidered designs, coming in lunch sets, towels, table runners, aprons, centerers, children's dresses and aprons; also pillow cases and many more items. To close out before Xmas at only **HALF PRICE**

**Onyx Silk Hose \$2**  
A pair of genuine onyx silk hose packed in holiday boxes will be for delight; full fashion in all new high shades; sizes 8-12 to 10.

**Men's Silk Hose \$1**  
Silk hose always appeal to men; regardless of their supply a fresh new pair comes in good stead; then you will readily be remembered.

**Spencers Perfumes 25c to 50c**  
Spencer's perfumes are national known cosmetic experts; putting in perfume of sweet essence in a dainty box for a small Xmas reminder.

**French Kid Gloves \$1.98**  
A 2 button French kid glove that will fit the hand snug and comfy and give it a dressed up appearance; blacks and browns only.

**\$3.50 French Kid Gloves \$2.98**  
Here's a timely Xmas Gift at a saving; a 2 button French kid glove with P. K. seams in black or brown; in all sizes, special \$2.98.

**Phoenix Silk Hose \$1.00**  
Brown or black Phoenix silk hose; packed 1 pair in a box; sizes 8-12 to 10.

**Men's Silk Ties for \$1.00**  
Come to Goldberg's and select your Xmas tie—for our ties will bind a happy thought for many days. Assorted colors and combinations.

**GIFTS**  
For Everyone May Be Secured in This Sale of Our  
**Entire Stock of Jewelry**  
Now on Sale at **1/2**  
**PRICE**  
(PLUS WAR TAX)

Everything is included in this sale except a few items which are advertised and sold at contract prices.

The greatest stocks we have ever had are now here. The assortments include things for every person. Our binding guarantee goes with every piece sold. The most beautiful Christmas Gifts are now half.

It is the most successful sale we have ever had. Hundreds of others have saved by it and you can too. It is not a closing out sale but a money raising sale. Why we do it does not matter, you save half in this sale.

**Jacobs & Lipoff**  
JEWELERS  
443 AUSTIN



## THOUGHT FOR TODAY

CONFIDENCE IMPARTS A WONDERFUL INSPIRATION TO ITS POSSESSOR.—MILTON.  
SILENCE IS DEEP AS ETERNITY; SPEECH SHALLOW AS TIME.—CARLYLE.

### Coolidge Sounds Battlecry For Republicans in Message That Leaves No Doubt As to His Stand on National Problems

There are pioneers who are blazers of a new path in a land which was erstwhile a virgin or primitive wilderness. There are men who are smoothers of political and kingly dy-

calvin Coolidge has submitted his first message to Congress. Friend and foe alike will agree that the unexpected happened. The president had been paraded in the public prints of the country as an over-cautious and extremely conservative leader. Noted political writers, including the veteran Washington correspondents, had predicted that he would sidestep the important issues of the hour and pass those issues on to the Congress without presidential recommendation.

These predictions were not fulfilled. They were not based on a solid foundation, for the president threw caution to the winds, bowed his neck and sent a message to the national lawmakers in which he did not evade an issue nor sidestep nor bury his ideas or ideals or cherished policies in a flood of words.

His message must be accepted as the republican keynote for the presidential campaign of 1924. He has thus made the republican platform, assuming all responsibility, in his first message to the Congress and which is a state paper remarkable for lucidity of mind, terseness of expression and a call to the leaders as well as the followers of his party to get in line and prepare for the great political contest which is to come in the near future.

First and foremost he endorsed the Harding proposal for an American membership with reservations, in the world court; he unqualifiedly approved Secretary Mellon's tax reduction plan and boldly announced his opposition to the enactment of soldier bonus legislation. He covered all the bonus ground with very few words. Urging adequate care for disabled former service men and generosity in providing such care he hurled this defiance in the teeth of those who have declared for the bonus. "I do not favor the granting of a bonus."

Thus he locked horns with Hiram Johnson, William Gibbs McAdoo, Samuel M. Ralston and other avowed champions of bonus legislation; thus he locked horns with the irreconcilable antagonists, republican or democrat, who are in opposition to the World Court program; thus he handed a smashing blow to the farm blue senators and representatives, who have denounced the Mellon tax reduction plan while insisting on reduced taxation as well as a bonus for the former service men.

Senator LaFollette and his followers derived small consolation from the message. The president declared for stimulated consolidation of railroads, reorganization of the rail road freight structure as applied to farm products and government assistance in the disposition of exportable wheat. He declared against price fixing for farm products; against repeal of the rate section of the transportation act and against revision of the tariff law.

Thus he gave the influence of his office and prestige to the zoning of railways that the strong might assist in carrying the weak; that reduced freight rates shall be given to the products of the farm in the transportation of the same from the farm to the market and that the wheat surplus shall be cared for by warehousing that intended for export and marketing the same in an orderly fashion.

These are among the vital issues before the American people. They concern the farmer wherever the land may be filled. The farmer has demanded lower freight rates and the president recommends that farm products shall be favored by a reorganization of the entire railroad freight structure. It is a bold message, a bold declaration of principles and policies, a challenge to the radicals of the republican party of the northwest, to the American Legion leaders and the champions of their legislative program and a cold note of defiance to republican leaders and voters who are looked upon as insurgents preparing to desert the reservation.

He is for government operation of the war-built marine until the ships can be disposed of advantageously. He is for the suppression of rum making and rum smuggling and favors drastic legislation in order to bring about promotion of respect for law. He is for restrictive immigration with immigrants to be selected abroad and the immediate registration of all aliens under the flag. This should satisfy as well as gratify the most strenuous advocates of drastic legislation for the protection of American ideals and our form of government.

He is for the sale of Muscle Shoals, with all the provisions of the Madden bill, so that the agriculture of the nation may get greater supplies and lower cost of fertilizer. This would enable the administration to accept the Ford proposal and place Muscle Shoals in the control of the Wizard of the West. He is for anti-lynching legislation and this is common to arouse the hostility of democratic politicians and leaders in the former slave states. He is for the extension of the civil service to the prohibition enforcement field forces exclusive of the members of the present force and this recommendation will be a fly in the ointment of the organization known as the Anti-Saloon

League of America.

He is for all the reclamation projects, for the opening of intra-coastal waterways, for the control of the flood waters of American rivers; for the Great Lakes waterway and power project, for limitation on child labor through constitutional amendment, for promotion of highway construction and reforestation, and if necessary he would have the secretary of the interior to reassess all charges against water users in reclamation fields.

On the subject of foreign debts, the president declared against cancellation and for a reasonable adjustment in accordance with the principle adopted for the British debt and announced he would oppose recognition of Russia so long as the ruling regime refuses to recognize the right of private property ownership and the debt contracted by Russia after the overthrow of the last of the Romanoffs.

It is not a flowery message. It is a meaty message. It is not a message couched in the language of diplomacy of the meaningless words of the politician noted for his nose and his verbosity. It is as cold and as matter of fact as the man who created it, straight from the shoulder and in the simple language of the plain people.

This is not an endorsement of the policies enunciated, the recommendations made or the candidacy or cause of the successor of the beloved son of Ohio so appropriately eulogized by the distinguished son of Vermont in the foreword of his message to the American Congress. But all men who love frankness, all who admire a public servant who gives expression to his honest convictions without fear or favor, regardless of the effect these declarations may have on his political fortunes, must admit that the president has blazed the trail for his administration and his party and thrown down the gauntlet to all critics or dissenters of high or low degree who are arrayed against the administrative policies inaugurated by Warren G. Harding and then passed on to his successor.

Calvin Coolidge has sounded the keynote speech for a republican administration and made his formal announcement as a candidate for the republican presidential nomination next year. He made history in his message; now history is to be made by the congress and the record created or carved out before the spring of 1924 will either make or mar the Coolidge administration which speaks for the republican party. Coolidge has sounded the tocsin; the battle is on.

### Quillen's Paragraphs

A man is old when he begins to enjoy watching himself for symptoms.

Casus belli: A latin term, meaning an equal admittance of envy and fear.

If you are not afraid of progress and don't hate the rich, you belong to the middle class.

What Mellon says about reducing taxes probably won't have as much weight as the doughboy vote.

Our leisure class may not be as well as England's, but it can shoot a better game of pool.

That gentleman who says there is no more hunting to try a man's courage should try hunting a job.

Another dance record we wish to see broken is the one the neighbors play until 11:30 P. M.

Those who would limit the Supreme Court's authority to veto laws have a naive faith in Congress.

We favor breach of promise suits. A declaration of love is a bona fide offer of a meal ticket.

The chief cause of crime, however, is the existence of a large number of people who are criminals.

The American standard of living isn't a fixed standard, but remains one jump ahead of the pay envelope.

The first essential in the making of a great leader is a constituency that has less sense than he has.

If Adam could come back to earth now, he wouldn't recognize anything except the jokes in the comic weeklies.

A study of the Levantine suggests that we might build ships long enough to dock while their sterns remain outside the three-mile limit.

No wonder a metropolis laughs at a village. A village thinks a barn fire is more important news than a divorce.

There will be no great monument to John Dwyer. You see, he only taught us how to save trees, not how to butcher them.

An old timer is one who can remember when it was considered a distinction to be acquainted with a millionaire.

(Protected by Associated Editors)

**TOM SIMS SAYS**

If people look like what they eat, as a London doctor says, a great many are eating beets.

You would think you were sleeping longer if you could watch the clock while you did it.

Hard thing about getting rich is there are so many ways not to do it and so few ways to do it.

Astronomers say we will have no sun in 85,000,000 years. Others say it is 85,000,000 years too long.

Most of the Russian names should be against the law.

Movie stars are getting so they get real mad if their wedding cake makes them late for dinner.

Trouble with this town is it needs a change of climate.

When the Perfumes Flavor Lipsticks



### The Referee

YOUTH

"If the men in control of affairs in this country and abroad were under 40 instead of over 60, the world would not be in its present condition."—Dr. M. Carey Thomas, president emerita of Bryn Mawr College.

Youth may make more mistakes than old age. But at least is able and willing to admit mistakes and change its mind. Old age, set in its ways, can rarely countenance.

MONEY

A banker with a million dollars figures that it takes 100,000,000 to handle enough 100,000,000 notes to pay for a pound of sausage in Germany.

It's not enough to make a remark. Schonhausen turned out in his grave. It couldn't happen to the dollar, of course, but any German would have bet 1000 to 1 same way on it as late as recently as 1913.

YOUR MONEY AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments

ARBITRAGE LEVELS PRICES IN ALL MARKETS

PRICE IN NEW YORK PRICE IN CHICAGO PRICE IN SAN FRANCISCO

Arbitrage sets a great plane. It keeps prices of identical securities and commodities about equal on all the different exchanges throughout the country.

Did you ever notice that a stock which is listed on both the San Francisco and New York stock exchanges sells for about the same price in both markets? The same is true of gold, bullion, money, exchange, commodities, or securities which are traded in on different markets. The reason for this is arbitrage.

Arbitrage is the simultaneous buying of anything in one market and selling it at a different price in another market to make a profit on the difference of prices in the two markets.

The only difference in price should be the cost of transporting the thing from one market to another. In the case of commodities, this is naturally larger than for securities.

Some brokers make a business of watching different markets to catch any difference above transportation which may open up. Of course, the telephone, telegraph, cable and wire make it possible to communicate between all markets quickly, and real make arbitrage possible.

### YOUR HEALTH

ARE YOU DRINKING—WHAT?

The varieties of bootleg beverages that flood the cities, towns and villages at present are almost legion. It is the duty of every physician to warn his patients or anyone with whom he may come in friendly contact against drinking this "stuff."

The United States Internal Revenue Department during the past three years has analyzed some 75,000 samples or brands of this material. They are skillfully concocted in many cases, but all rank poison. One can hardly understand how a man will put something in his stomach which deals a death blow. They contain, besides, alcohol and acetaldehyde, many of their poisons are from the metals of the distilling process, and coloring matter which is

much as poisonous for the reason that special distillation is necessary to drive off the poisons. This is the nature of home process does not remove the poisons. In addition to this alcohol is often not grain alcohol, but a poisonous substitute of a greater inferior quality. Even good alcohol and denatured alcohol, acetone and benzene are common parts.

The poisons attack in some measure all parts of the body, but particularly the higher brain centers, the spinal cord, the nervous system and the organs of the body. They cause symptoms of locomotor ataxia, result from brain and spinal cord atrophy. Partial and sometimes permanent blindness, deafness and death soon follows. As far as available figures show, more than 10,000 deaths have occurred during the past two years as a result of this stuff.

The most serious phase of all is the condition of the individual in the last stages of physical emaciation and demoralization of mind and body. The body is in a state of collapse and the mind is in a state of confusion. Refuse any friendly offer of "pure goods."

HOME HAZARDS

HOME DRY-CLEANING PERILS

BY J. L. BANASH

When moved with the proper proper

tion of an, times a very explosive

mineral. In fact, a gallon of gas-

oline, benzene, kerosene, and such proportion may have the ex-

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kept away from an open flame.

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### COUPLE TO WED ON HORSEBACK AT PARTY

DECATUR, Texas, Dec. 7.—De-

catur's Christmas party, to be given

to the county on the evening of Fri-

day, December 14, is to be graced by

amateur horsemen and horsewomen, at

the head of which will ride a man

and girl, who will be married on their

marriage in truly cowboy style.

This was decided when a couple

came in and demanded that kind of

wedding or none. All other appli-

cants were barred.

SENTENCED TO DIE FOR FLOGGING WIFE

WELLAND, Ont. Dec. 7.—A

man sentenced for more than two hours

to the prison for flogging his wife.

The man, who was named as John

William, was sentenced to die for

the crime of flogging his wife.

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the crime of flogging his wife.

The man, who was named as John



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Clavering returned to his seat with no sense of the old chair's comfort, and she went on in a moment.

"The unfairness of it as I looked at that old witch in the glass that had reflected my magnificent youth, seemed to me unendurable. I had lived a virtuous and upright life. I knew damned well she hadn't. I had done my duty by the race and my own and my husband's people, and I had brought up my sons to be honorable and self-respecting men, whatever their failings, and my daughters in the best traditions of American womanhood. They are model wives and mothers, and they have made no weak-kneed concessions to these degenerate times. They bore me but I'd rather they did than disgrace me. Mary never even had one child, although her husband must have wanted an heir. I have lived a life of duty—duty to my family traditions, my husband, my children, my country, and to Society; she one of self-indulgence and pleasure and excitement, although I'm not belittling the work she did during the war. But noblesse oblige. What else could she do? And now, she'll be at it again. She'll have the pick of our young men—I don't know whether it's all tragic or grotesque. She'll waste no time on those men who loved her in her youth—small blame to her. Who wants to coddle old men? They've all got something the matter with 'em."

But she'll have love—love—it not here—and thank God, she's not remaining long—then elsewhere and wherever she chooses. Love! I too once took a fierce delight in making men love me. It seems a thousand years ago. What if I should try to make a man fall in love with me today? I'd be rushed off by my terrified family to a padded cell."

"Well—Jane—"

"Don't 'well Jane' me! You'd jump out of the window if I suddenly began to make eyes at you. I could read on your manners. You couldn't laugh until you struck the grass and then you'd be arrested for disturbing the peace. Well—don't worry. I'm not an old ass. But I'm a terribly bewildered old woman. It seems to me there has been a crashing in the air ever since she sat in that chair."

Growing old always seemed to me a natural process that no arts or

science could alter. She seized the stick that always rested against her chair and thumped the floor with it. "Nevertheless," she exclaimed with savage contempt, "my heart is as young today as Mary Ogden's. That is the appalling discovery I have made this week. I'd give my immortal soul to be thirty again—or look it. Why in heaven's name do nature play us this appalling trick?"

"But Jane!" It felt like tearing his hair. What was Mary Zettany's tragedy to this? Heralds were the only refuge. "Remember that at thirty you were in love with your husband and bent on having a family—"

"I meant thirty and all I know now. . . . I'm not so damn sure I'd have tried to make myself thick I was in love with James—who had about as much imagination as a grasshopper and the most infernal mannerisms. I'd have found out what love and life meant, that's what! And when I did I'd have sent codes and traditions to the devil."

"Oh, no, you would not. If you'd had it in you you'd have done it anyhow. All women of your day were not virtuous—not by a long sight. I'll admit that your best possibilities have been wasted; I've always thought that. You have a terrific personality and if you were at your maturity in this tradition, less era you'd be a great national figure, not a mere social power. But nature in a fit of spite launched you too soon and the cast-iron traditions were too strong for you. It was the epoch of the submerged woman."

"Mary Ogden was brought up in those same cast-iron traditions."

"Yes, but Madame Zettany belongs to a class of women that derive less from immediate ancestors than from a legendary race of sirens—not so merely legendary, perhaps, as we think. Convention is only a flexible harness for such women and plays no part whatever in their secret lives."

"You're in love with Mary."

"Don't come back to me. I won't have it. For the moment I don't feel as if I had an atom of personality left. I'm so utterly absorbed in you; and I'd give my immortal soul to help you."

"Yes, I know that. I wouldn't be turning myself inside out if I didn't. I've never talked to you so much and I never shall again."

She stared at him for a moment, and then she burst into a loud laugh. "I was awe-inspiring, that laugh. Lucifer in hell, holding his sides at the fullness of mankind, could not have surpassed it. 'What a mess! What a mess! Life! Begins now, where ends nowhere.' She went on muttering to herself, and then, abruptly, she broke into the sure, caustic speech which her friends knew best."

(To Be Continued)

CHews WASH. GOAT CONFINED IN JAIL

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—It took three

days, a patrol wagon and a posse

persuade "King Tut," a hellion goat, to desert browsing on Mrs. V.

for Nicholson's weekly wash. Tut is

in jail.

FIRE AT HEBRONVILLE

LAURENS, Texas, Dec. 7.—Fire

destroyed Hebronville, post office and

buildings occupied by the Mesquite

Oil company, the Weber Oil company,

two barber shops and two restau-

rants.

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## Amusements

**FRIDAY**  
**"Rupert of Hentzau,"** starring Elsie Hammerstein and John Q. Nelson and Milton Sills in "The Spoilers."  
**Liberty:** Irene Castle starred in "No Trespassing," and Ep. 5 of "Fighting Skipper."  
**Green Tree:** Pathé program.

**SATURDAY**  
**"Rupert of Hentzau,"** starring Elsie Hammerstein, Claire Windsor and others.  
**Liberty:** Musical bill, "In Missouri," and picture, "The Spoilers."  
**Green Tree:** "Modern Matrimony."

**"SNOWDRIFT"**  
 The production, starring William Fox, will open a three days' engagement tomorrow at the "Pearce Theatre." This deals with the gold fields of the Yukon.

The story concerns a renegade mining engineer from the states who falls in love with a girl, known only as "Snowdrift," and believed to be a halfbreed. His love for the beautiful daughter of the North changes the life of the engineer, who successfully battles with Indian bands, the crew of a whaler, run-runners and northern blizzards for the love of the girl. Subsequently it is discovered that the girl is the daughter of white parents who lost their lives in the fur north, and the girl was then left in the care of an Indian squaw.

The supporting cast includes Irene Rich, Dorothy Manners, G. Raymond Nye, Colin Chase, Evelyn Selbie, Lolo Encinas and Lee Shumway.

**BRILLIANT CAST**  
 The photodrama, "Rupert of Hentzau," was directed by Victor Heer, and its cast is of unparalleled brilliancy. Imagines seeing Elsie Hammerstein, Bert Lytell, Lew Cody, Hobart Bosworth, Bryant Washburn, Marjorie Daw, Josephine Cravell, Irving Cummings, Mitchell Lewis, Adolphe Menjou, Elmo Lincoln, Nigel De Brulier and Gertrude Astor all in the same production! And when these famous seven artists appear in a story that exudes romance and ad-

venture, the result should be a picture of exceptional excellence.  
 "Rupert of Hentzau" will be at the Pearce Theatre tomorrow.

**MAN IS SLAIN, WIFE FELLE IN BATTLE**  
**NEW YORK, Dec. 7.**—Dominick Maggio, a shoe-maker, who shot to death in his home in Brooklyn by two men, wearing army gas masks, who entered the apartment, Mrs. Maggio shot and fought with her husband. They evidently feared her husband's physical prowess as they had sprayed ether in the room from an atomizer.

Several shots were fired. Mrs. Maggio attacked one of the men and they beat her unconscious and fled.

**MIDGETS MARRIED ON ROLLTOP DESK**  
**CHICAGO, Dec. 7.**—It's a most pocket romance, so to speak. They obtained a marriage license and were married in the city hall.

Anton Schuck, 35, the bridegroom, is 2 feet 11 inches tall and weighs 40 pounds. The bride, who was Miss Meleta Bergson, 25, stands 3 feet 2 inches and weighs 44 pounds.

They stood on a rolltop desk for the ceremony. The best man, Maj. Barth, is 7 feet 3 inches in his stocking feet. All are with the Imperial Midget company, now appearing at a North Side theatre. They have been in this country nine weeks from Germany.

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**"SNOWDRIFT"**

**STRAND Today—Tomorrow**  
**"IN MISSOURI"**  
 Picture  
**"DRIVEN"**

**BANKER SURRENDERS IN \$40,000 SHORTAGE**  
**PAWBUKA, Okla., Dec. 7.**—Karl Hammer, vice president of the Barnhill National bank at Barnhill, near here, who disappeared on Nov. 2, shortly before a shortage of more than \$40,000 in his accounts was reported to federal authorities here. After a hearing before a United States commissioner, he was held under \$7500 bond to await action of the grand jury on charges of violating the national banking act.

Hammer, who also was city treasurer, is charged by the Barnhill city commission with embezzling more than \$16,000.

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**CALIFORNIA HINDUS ON WAY TO TEXAS**  
**BRAWLEY, Cal., Dec. 7.**—Leaves on more than 20,000 acres of Imperial Valley land are being relinquished by Hindu cotton growers, who plan immigration to Arizona and Texas because of the recent supreme court decision upholding the California anti-alien law. It was learned here.

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 Contest opens December 2nd; closes December 20th.  
 All answers must be in by 5 o'clock December 20th.  
 Letters arriving after the specified closing time will be accepted if the post mark shows that they were mailed on time.  
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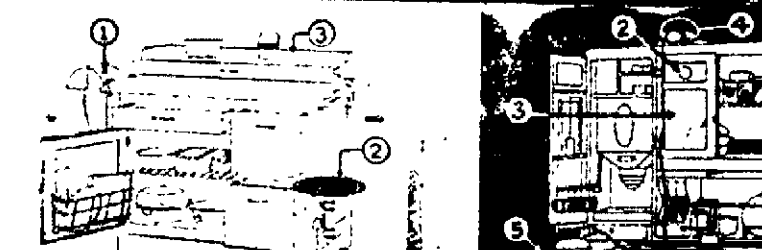
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# Ecklund, Light-Heavyweight Champ, Coming Here

## National Artist Face Actor Here Finish Mat Scrap

Best Second Most Scientific Wrestler in the World for These Fall Mix-up With Hand-to-Hand Grappling for Wednesday, Bill

By BILL ADNER

CHAMPION wrestler in Port Arthur!

Charles Ecklund, light-heavyweight title holder of America, who hails from Buffalo, Wyo., and who has topped the list in the land, Wednesday night, December 12, will meet George Actor, pride of Port Arthur heavyweight grapplers, in a finish match at the Elks Theater.

It goes without the writing that the match will be the most exciting bill any promoter has ever attempted to arrange here.

Ecklund, after a week of negotiations, late yesterday put his name on the dotted line with Will Fort, local wrestling promoter, and George Actor, a handsome purse was involved, and both grapplers immediately posted with the sports editor of the News for their appearance money. The match will be conducted under Police Gazette rules, and the card conducted at out-weights, catch-as-catch-can style.

Actor, considered the most furious Greek wrestler in the south today, in anticipation of the match has been in training since he met and conquered Harry Manns here recently. Yesterday he journeyed to Beaumont and spent five or harder training than he has in since his return to Port Arthur.

"I intend to be in the best of condition and give Ecklund the toughest match he has ever had," Actor announced to newspaper men, while from Ecklund came no word of what he expected to do. He is the champion. He wears the belt of the light-heavyweight in the game, has a standing challenge to such wrestlers as Al Santel "anytime, any place, anywhere," and is recognized not only by the wrestling fraternity but by wrestling authorities as the speediest light-heavy in the game.

In speaking of him, Doc Reid, Wrestling News editor, refers to Charles Ecklund as "the man with four arms and six legs," indicating with what ability he springs about to spin his opponents.

A series of recent engagements in Houston, Little Rock, Elmd, Okla., and on the Pacific coast, where he met the foremost contenders in the game has kept Ecklund in fit shape for his appearance in Port Arthur.

The bout between the champion and Actor is the outgrowth of a challenge which was when Manns was the local prodigy's adversary, and which bore the signature of "Victor Mitchell, well known southern promoter of Little Rock, Ark., offering a thousand-dollar guarantee to the winner of the Actor-Manns clash. Fort immediately entered negotiations with Ecklund personally, with the result that the champ struck his first to the paper yesterday and signed up for the bill.

Special ringside seats under construction for the appearance of Manns here a week ago, and which were not completed, have been finished and are being erected in the Elks Theater to accommodate over 100 fans. The theater itself will seat an additional 900 fans, and officials of the match are anticipating selling standing room for the scrap. Promoter Fort announced yesterday that a popular price of \$1.50 plus the war tax would obtain for the ringside and box seats, while a general admission of \$1 plus the tax for "any other seat in the house" will be charged. Ringside and box seats will go on sale Monday and can be obtained at the Elks Theater, adjacent to Killeen's Cafe, on Broadway.

Once before a heavyweight title holder came to Port Arthur. He was Stanislaus Zyzanski, an "ex" at that time, but rated one of the biggest drawing cards of the country. Will Fort brought him here to meet George Actor, then wrestling under the name of George Vassel, and who was less acquainted with the art of grappling than now.

The second champion to come here is being brought through the efforts of the same man, and Fort, in making Ecklund a full guarantee is taking a chance, partly because he is trying to put the game on its feet for Port Arthur's host of wrestling fans. Ecklund, a champion, fast, brassy, farous when he wants to be, scientific to the limit of the word, will be the toughest opponent George Actor has been matched against since his halcyon days when the "Vassel" of Port Arthur crawled through the ropes in the unopposed arena of the coast as the "Masked Marvel."

There won't be a dull minute in the Elks Theater on next Wednesday night.

### AFTER COACH STAGG

Pathway of University of Chicago to win a "Big Ten" championship for some time has caused the usual cry for the removal of the football coach. The claim is made that Stagg has become a bit too old for the job and is not getting the best results from the material at hand. His recent attack on two football as played by former college stars, which was widely uncalled for, has also caused much to come in for much newspaper criticism.

## THE NUT CRACKER

Basketball games looming up with football game.

Time for Eddie Blumstein, Port Arthur's Texas Longhorn, to be coming home soon.

Other than saying he's ready to meet anybody who wants to come here, George Actor is reticent about the coming battle with Ecklund. He does believe he'll win, though.

G. W. Havers and Gene Sarazen have signed up for a championship match to be played in California in January.

The T. I. A. A. meeting scheduled to have been held in Dallas Wednesday, was scrapped a part of the Southwestern Conference hassle line.

Marshall and Texarkana set the that 0-0-0 clash in the latter city today. Under all rules of the game, Texarkana boys ought to win.

"Strangler" Ed Lewis coming out for little honors. Enraged at tactics used by Dick Davis-court at Wichita, Kan., recently, he clouted his adversary on the dome. Officers interfered and stopped the match.

Greenville High and Sherman meet this afternoon in the last football game of the season in that district.

Davis J. Walsh, I. N. S. sports scribe, ought to be popular with Texas University students now. He picked an All-American team and filled it to name Bill O. Ecklund.

The closing game of the 1923 season for Van Alstyne High occurs this afternoon. Bonham is the victim.

PHOR PHEMALE PHANS: Powder puffs.

Huggins reported ravings to sell the "submarine mystery." Carl Mays to the Master Mind. Muggsy McGraw. But McGraw don't like ravings under the surface, y'know.

T. C. U. athletes turn attention to basketball. . . . We thought they did that back in September.

Jack Dempsey is land poor, according to reports by his many admirers. Too bad, Jack, too bad. Better consult Mr. Texas Rickard again soon, and rejuvenate the old pocket book.

Byron McGinness, athletic director for the Navy, is on his way to the coast to perfect arrangements for a game with Washington University.

But Siki ended a recent spree with a moon dance at a Broadway. . . . Probably followed by a host of aspirant young jellies learning the "ring waltz."

Johnny O'Donnell beat "Pepper" Martin in Los Angeles, in a 10-round bout last night.

The fray on some congressmen's heads is said to be over three inches in thickness, which under the National A. A. U. rules, should disqualify them.

Charles Renthrop and Paul Jones ably defended the honor of the south in the Houston City arena Tuesday night. Renthrop beat Sam Clapham, the "British Lion," in straight falls, and Jones won from Islam Rachid, Turkish champion, the same route.

Texas Military College athletes in at Terrell are handling their backs now for basketball practice. They're going to turn out their best crew this season.

Claude Poe of Sherman has been elected captain of the Austin College Kangaroos for 1924.

Griffith relations of Kansas Aggies and Kansas University strained. . . . Probably hurt it on the football field.

A race horse "special," carrying 14 of America's fastest racers, is on its way to sunny California.

In McKinney, they've been playing a domino tournament ever since Tuesday. In Port Arthur they've been playing for years.

## BAYLOR BEARS HERE ON 20TH

Fast Texaco Star Crew Ready For Clash

Thursday, December 20, Coach Bridges and his Baylor Bear caging machine invade the basketball courts of Port Arthur on another "Texaco" day. The Bears are coming here for a fast season in the Southwestern Conference race. They meet the Texaco Stars as their opponents, in what will be the first important basketball game to be played here this year.

Business Manager Ed Allen of the Texacos made the announcement yesterday afternoon, the match being recognized by local fans as probably one of the snuggest affairs that will be presented during the season. With his fast crew of husky cagers who have been working for weeks to round out a truly worthy of the Texas company, Allen has left from the initial 40 candidates who turned out for basketball this season 20 stellar players. From this list, the "first string" members of the official Texaco crew will be chosen, he said yesterday, and their season bids fair to be the best in the history of Texaco teams on local courts.

Baylor invaded local fields last season and put up one of the toughest scraps seen here during the year. They are coming back this season "just a little stronger," so their management has communicated to Manager Allen. And immediately, they will be given a rousing welcome in the club which will represent not only the Texaco Company in the fray, but Port Arthur's lovers of basketball.

A team capable of launching a most powerful offensive, and yet able to cover up with an impenetrable defense when pressed is what the Texas Company coaches have been working on. Practice games turned out some excellent stars; from the illuminations, the first squad is being chosen, and the outlook is the most promising.

"Takes" for the clash will probably go on sale early next week, and the game at Franklin's school, where the game will be played, will probably be filled to capacity on the night of the 20th.

## Many Caging Tilts Announced By Clubs

With the closing of the week, local basketball aggregations began a lengthy announcement of scheduled clashes among the most important of which is the advent here on the 20th of the Baylor Bears.

Games announced this morning include the following: Tonight (7:30 o'clock)—Beaumont High vs. PABC. Tomorrow night (7:30)—PABC vs. Canadian Club; Algonquins vs. Baptists.

Tuesday (Dec. 11)—Algonquins vs. Texas Stars.

Thursday (Dec. 20)—Baylor vs. Texas Stars.

### MICKS IN DEMAND

Notre Dame's is more in demand than any team in the country for games next year. The Micks are willing to travel and the team is an attraction all over the country. Notre Dame makes two more trips next fall for games with the Army and Princeton.

### BIG BANTAM CLASS

Here is a ranking of the bantamweights of the country listed in about the order of their skill: Joe Lynch, Carl Tromaine, Jimmy Curtis, Lew Huxley, Harold Smith, Frankie Deane, Joe Burman, Sprague Gardner, Bud Taylor, Abe Goldstein, Abe Friedman, Perry Martin, Eddie Martin, Pete Zivic, Bobby Wolgast and George Marks.

### AFTER CORNELL

Wisconsin is negotiating for a game with Cornell, and if it is scheduled it should be one of the feature games of the season. Cornell, defending itself against criticism because weak teams have appeared on its schedule, has maintained that it could not get good teams to play. Wisconsin is a good team.

### NAVY AFTER CLASH

The Navy wants a game with a conference team in 1924 and probably will get one. The Navy officers wanted Blinns on the schedule but it seems that while both are willing the game will not be possible next year because it is impossible to find an open date on the schedule satisfactory to both teams.

### SIGNS THREE BOUTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 7. Louis Vincentino, sensational South American lightweight, has been signed for three big fights. The boxer announced he will be started against Johnny Sharkey and if he wins, he will be signed with Pat Moran and Benny Leonard.

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## Upsets Featured Season's Play On Grid This Year, Teams Fail to Keep Form

THIS has been a year of decided upsets in the football world. Just when some eleven is being heralded as the greatest of all teams along comes someone and knocks 'em off.

Take the case of Notre Dame and Syracuse for instance. Trying to pick the winners of the gridiron this year is a tougher job than doping the ponies. The football experts of the country are being crossed up every Saturday on some game that looks like a cinch.

If you want to get ready for a padded cell pursue the following football scores and then see if you know what it is all about:

Penn State beat the Navy, 21 to 3. The Navy trimmed Colgate, 9 to 0. Syracuse defeated Penn State, 10 to 0. That made the game between Syracuse and Colgate look like a romp for Syracuse. The score: Colgate 10, Syracuse 7.

Notre Dame took Butler into camp, 34 to 7. The best Illinois could do against the same team was a 21 to 7 victory. Yet Illinois beat Nebraska, 24 to 7, while Notre Dame, that beat Butler much worse than did Illinois, was beaten by Nebraska, 14 to 7.

Washington and Jefferson managed to beat Carnegie Tech, 9 to 7. After a great battle, the Bears Tech proceeded to trounce Pittsburgh, 7 to 2. That made W. & J. a favorite over Pittsburgh, yet Glenn Warner's given scored a 13 to 0 win in one of the big upsets of the year.

Yale beat North Carolina, 23 to 0, while the best Maryland could do against the same team was a 14 to 0 victory, yet when Yale met Maryland it had all kinds of trouble winning, 16 to 14.

New York played California a scoreless tie. The University of Southern California trounced Nevada, 20 to 0. On form that made Southern California a hot favorite over California. The result failed to bear out such a prediction, California getting the decision, 13 to 7.

Thanksgiving Day surprises centered around the failure of Cornell to beat Pennsylvania by a more decisive score than 14 to 7. Pittsburgh's overwhelming defeat of Penn State and Washington and Jefferson's win over West Virginia.

There are just a few of the form reversals of 1923.

No wonder the football statisticians are getting gray trying to prove that two and two make four sometimes.

## Suspended

EAST LANSING, Mich., Dec. 7.—Maurice J. Taylor, captain of the 1923 Michigan Agricultural College football team, and Richard Demorel, member of the squad, have been indefinitely suspended. Dean Robert S. Shaw, acting president, announced late yesterday. Four other men, whose names were withheld, were placed on indefinite probation, for alleged intoxication at a frat dance.

## MAY MEET WOLVERINES

Michigan probably will get on the 1924 Navy schedule. Secretary Denby, a former Michigan football star, wants his midshipmen to schedule the game. As the Navy officials are willing to agree to a "home and home" proposition it is not improbable that the Navy will have a game at Ann Arbor and one at Ann Arbor with Michigan. The Navy is not afraid of any kind of a hard schedule.

## CENTRE IN EAST

The Army will probably have several southern teams on the 1924 schedule and Yale already has books of games with North Carolina and Georgia. Centre will make its annual appearance in the east in a game with West Virginia in New York on October 25. While the game has not been announced it is certain that Georgia Tech will meet Notre Dame next fall.

## WANT BIG GAMES

Pennsylvania with one of the largest fields in the east, is looking for one or two big spectacles for next season, and it is understood that Penn officials are eager to get a game with one of the fine Pacific coast teams. Many other teams would like to schedule a game with California but the travel demands for such a game make it almost impossible for the regular schedule.

## CANNOT BOX

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7. Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion, will be permitted to act as a trainer and second in Pennsylvania but he will not be allowed a boxing license, the new state boxing commission ruled.

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## PURPLE MEETS PABC TONIGHT

Game in Franklin Gym At 7:30 O'Clock

Basketball took a strong grip on Port Arthur this morning, and the purple and white colors have been working on the weaker snobs of the numerous teams organized in the city opened the day with a whirlwind of engagements, including numerous schools.

Among the first to enter the lists in the clash being coached by Tadde Forbes at Port Arthur Business College, which tonight meets the Purple of Beaumont High, in the second of final game of the year for the College.

The clash will be the first for the Purple and will bring to Franklin gym a speedy crew of cagers who have been under the tutelage of Young Ferrara, disruptive forward of the 1923 Good Golf contingent who will be remembered by local fans as one of the best players on the Gulf team last season.

While the Purple has several of the 1923 team to count on this year, and while Ferrara has been instilling them with swift games, they will find in the College one of the snappiest clubs organized here. Purple has been putting his boys through the hardest kind of tactics, with the result that within the past few weeks since they met a bitter defeat at the hands of Port Neche High, they have been showing no considerable better.

The clash tonight will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock at Franklin Gym, a momentous clash being charged fans to delay expenses of the game.

## MARTIN WINS

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Eddie Martin, New York lightweight, won a six round bout from Tommy Nelson, New York, a substitute for Frankie Convery.

## Broken Hearted, Tex Hamer Quits School to Journey Homeward

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—Broken-hearted because he failed to make the line-up of his own team for the final and "big" game of the year, Tex Hamer, captain of the 22 football team of the University of Pennsylvania, has abandoned school without waiting to get his degree.

"I have turned in everything I had belonging to the University," Hamer said. "I won't go back to class." "Everything I had," included the football uniform that Hamer wore with distinction in his career at Penn. Hamer will return to his home at Junction City, Tex.

## FAVORING MUSTANGS

DALLAS, Dec. 7.—If the Southern Methodist University faculty requests a post-season football game with some eastern team, the Southwestern Conference probably will lift the ban against such games and grant the request.

Maryland at West Virginia are under consideration. All members of the champion Mustangs have voted to play the game.

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EDITH CUMMINGS

Queen of America's dancers, Edith Cummings of Chicago will cross the Atlantic immediately after the holidays to begin preparations for an attack on the British women's ball championship. Miss Cummings won the American title this year for the first time at Rio, N. Y., defeating Alexa Stirling in the finals. She competed in the British event last year and made a creditable showing.

## TRAINS FOR TUNNEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 7. Harry Gey, world's middleweight champion, arrived here from Pittsburgh to train for his contest Monday night with Gene Tunney, American heavyweight champion. He said he was here and expected to win another title.

## GREAT YOST CENTER

Jack Bost will go down into football history as one of the greatest centers ever played at Michigan. That is some assignment when you consider Michigan has turned out the great "Germung" Schmitz, "Dad" Oger, Almy, Jimmy, Raymond, Eddie, Vick and others.



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## HONORS VANDY ON 1923 CREW

Two Mentioned For All-Southern Eleven

Vanderbilt got the popular vote on Ed Donoforth's mythical All-Southern squad this season. Two Vandy players, Kelly and Reese, got honorable mention on the first string, while one was honored on the second, and still another on the third. Vanderbilt's choices follow:

First Team  
Center—Lawrence (Auburn). Guards—Kelly (Vanderbilt), Goldstein (Florida). Tackles—Bennett (Georgia), Barbour (V. M. I.). Ends—Clemens (Alabama), Statton (Georgia Tech).

Quarter—Gillis (Alabama). Halfback—Reese (Vanderbilt), White (V. M. I.). Full—Wyoff (Georgia Tech).

Second Team  
Center—Frye (Georgia Tech). Guards—McConnell (Georgia Tech), Reagan (Auburn). Tackles—Rives (Vanderbilt), Robinson (Florida). Ends—Carlton (V. M. I.), Sapples (Maryland). Quarter—Greaves (Maryland). Halfback—Riley (Alabama), Rutherford (V. M. I.). Full—Saunders (Kentucky).

Third Team  
Center—Probst (Alabama). Guards—Hansen (Kentucky), Hall (Virginia). Tackles—Lowe (Tennessee), Taylor (Georgia). Ends—Wakefield (Vanderbilt), Daves (Washington, Lee). Quarter—James (Florida). Halfback—Robinson (Tennessee), Albelard (Georgia Tech). Full—Hubert (Alabama).

Half the victory in the ring is self-confidence. Too much is defeat.



## Preparing Meat Sauces

THE clever cook looks carefully to the kind of sauce she will serve with her meat. No one would think of serving turkey without its cranberry sauce, but how many women think of adding the right touch to plain everyday boiled beef by serving horseradish sauce with it?

Fish is improved when accompanied by a sauce. Oyster, egg, lemon, beehind and brown sauce add much to any fish.

Roast veal, which in and of itself is a tasteless meat, gains interest and flavor if served with tomato or onion sauce.

Boiled mutton and caper sauce are quite as insipid as roast pork and apple sauce.

As there are some people who are shyly object to meat sauces, the sauce should be served with the meat, not over it. This way the full flavor of the meat is preserved and the sauce acts as a complement to the meat instead of overwhelming the meat juices.

Meat stock, drawn butter or white sauce form the foundation for most sauces.

**Caper Sauce**  
One and one-half cups drawn butter sauce, 1/2 cup capers, 1 tablespoon liquor over capers.

Add capers to sauce with the liquor in the bottle. Let simmer until it is thoroughly hot and serve in tureen.

**Drawn Butter Sauce**  
Six tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons flour, 1 1/2 cups boiling water, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper.

Melt butter in sauce pan, stir in flour and make perfectly smooth. Add water slowly, stirring constantly. Season with salt and pepper and boil three minutes.

**Onion Sauce**  
One and one-half cups milk, 1-1/2

cup cream, 3 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 3 medium sized onions, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/8 teaspoon pepper.

Peel onions, put in cold water, bring to the boiling point and drain. Return to sauce pan with boiling water to cover and simmer one hour.

When half done add 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon onion and chop coarse. Mash onions with a fork and when well blended slowly add milk, stirring constantly.

Season with salt and pepper and add chopped onions. Simmer three minutes, stir in cream and serve in tureen.

**Tomato Sauce**  
Two cups canned tomatoes, 1/2 small onion, 2 whole cloves, 1 1/2 cups drawn butter sauce.

Put tomatoes, onion, peeled and sliced, and cloves in a smooth sauce pan. Simmer for half an hour. Strain and add to the drawn butter.

**Bechamel Sauce**  
One cup white stock, 1/2 cup of cream, 2 tablespoons flour, 3 tablespoons butter, 1 small onion, 1/2 cup grated onion, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/8 teaspoon pepper, 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg.

Melt butter, stir in flour and slowly add stock, stirring constantly. Add all the remaining ingredients except the cream and let simmer half an hour. Rub through a strainer and blend with cream.

**Horseshoe Sauce**  
One tablespoon flour, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup cream, 1 1/2 cups finely grated horseradish, 1 teaspoon vinegar, 1/2 teaspoon sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Melt butter, stir in flour and slowly add cream which has been scalded. Cook, stirring constantly until thick and smooth. Remove from the fire, stir in vinegar, salt, sugar and horseradish and serve at once.

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## A FEW HINTS ON MEASURES

### How Much to Prepare Often Puzzles Hostess

MANY times a hostess is puzzled as to how much to prepare for her guests. Of course the sort of occasion enters into this very largely. For instance, a smaller portion of salad will be served with sandwiches at an afternoon tea than the same salad served with lettuce at a luncheon.

These calculations may help you: One quart of whipping cream will whip to serve 25 persons with one large spoonful. Whipped cream for chocolate would serve 30 cups.

One-half pound of cocoa will make 25 serving cups of chocolate. This will require about four quarts of milk.

One quart of ice cream is calculated to serve from six to eight persons. A brick cuts ordinarily into six portions, but seven or eight can be made if served with cake.

Sandwiches, made from sandwich loaf, 48 slices to a loaf. Those are cut in thirds or halves. One pound of butter will spread 90 whole sandwiches. Three pounds of filling will make 60 sandwiches.

**Weights and Measures**  
One large layer cake is calculated to serve from 12 to 16 persons. If several kinds of cake are served, the cakes should be cut in small portions.

One quart of salad serves six to eight persons, varying with the service and occasion.

Four pounds of chicken after stewing make one quart of salad.

Three pounds fresh salmon are calculated to make salad for 25 persons.

Three one-pound cans of shrimp make salad for 25.

One quart hot bouillon serves 8 persons.

One pound of coffee serves 30 persons.

Three pints of chopped meat are calculated to make croquettes for 25 persons.

Oysters.—By number for stew, four to a person; raw, four to six to a person; in cream sauce combined with mushrooms, 150 for 25; chopped in made dishes, two and one-half to three quarts with the liquor.

**Averages Only**  
It must be remembered that these are rough estimates for the average occasion. They may serve to help you to compare the quantities needed for your own special needs.

In planning for a large dinner, if the cook calculates on the basis of her needs for her own family, she can arrive at a fair conclusion.

In making over recipes be sure to keep the proportions the same, double every ingredient if you are making twice the cube. In the matter of cakes it is better to make two ordinary ones than one extra large one. This is true of any dish that requires a large amount of beating.

In the case of chaffing-dish cooking, two chaffing dishes normally filled are preferable to one overfilled.

The length of time required to cook large quantities is increased to some extent, but not in proportion to the increase in the rule.

**Yoakum Bank Deposits Doubled in 3 Months**

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## Sister Mary's Kitchen

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These shells are used as cases for desserts, salads or creamed meats. They can be kept, reheated and crisp for a week or longer.

Creamed fillings with peas served in a delicious shell is something very different from the same mixture creamed on toast. Creamed chicken, mushrooms and eggs or sweetbreads are quite as satisfactory served in puff shells as in puff shells. And the puff shells are much less trying to make.

This recipe is sufficient for 18 average sized puffs.

One-half cup butter, 1 cup boiling water, one cup flour, 4 eggs.

The water should be boiling when measured. Put water in a perfectly smooth sauce pan and add butter. When the boiling point is again reached add the flour, which has been sifted, all at once. Stir vigorously.

The mixture will soon make a stiff ball, drawing away from the sides of the pan. Remove from the fire and add the eggs, unbroken, one at a time. Each egg should be thoroughly incorporated in the mixture before another is added. Drop by spoonfuls onto a buttered cookie sheet or inverted dripping pan. Bake half an hour in a moderate oven.

Do not look at the puffs for the first 10 minutes they are in the oven. At the end of 10 minutes the heat should be slightly reduced. If the dough is allowed to cool before the eggs are added, the shells will be in layers of flakes. This flakiness is especially desirable if they are wanted for a creamed chicken.

**Care in Baking**  
Care must be taken in the baking that the shells are well done. If they are not thoroughly baked they will fall. A safe way to do it is to take one from the oven. If it does not fall after two or three minutes, the rest may be removed with safety.

Reheats are made from this same mixture. The puffs are shaped in

fingers four or five inches long and one and one-half inches wide. After baking they are split and filled with boiled custard, then frosted with chocolate, maple or vanilla.

The puff shells are split in half when used for salads or creamed entrees, each half forming a case.

If used as a dessert the shells can be opened at the top of the puff, the filling put into the case and the top put back. A particularly de-

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